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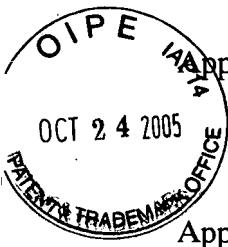
LETTER AND SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENTS

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Sir:

Per examiner's request, a letter is submitted to explain the error in claim numbering in the last response to the Office Action submitted on August 26, 2005. A supplemental amendment to the claims is also included.

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Date: October 22, 2005

Dear examiner:

Per the conversation between you and my attorney Anthony B. Diepenbrock III, a letter is submitted to explain the error in claim numbering in the last response to the Office Action filed on August 26, 2005.

In the amendment submitted by my attorney, it is stated that all the previous claims 1-33 were cancelled and a new list of claims numbered from 34 to 64 were submitted. The attorney and the applicant made a mistake because there were 37 previous claims instead of 33. Claims 34 to 37 were added to the original list of 33 claims in a preliminary amendment filed on Feb. 5, 2005 by the applicant. The new list should, therefore, start from claim 38 instead of 34. And all the subsequent claims should be number accordingly. During a recent telephone conversation, the examiner had expressed willingness of accepting the numbering of the list as it was submitted on August 26. To avoid any future confusion, it is only to be restated that all the previous claims of 1-37 are cancelled and the applicant wishes to pursue only the list of claims presented in the amendment submitted on August 26, 2005 of claims 34 to 64.

Please note that the applicant has also submitted a supplemental amendment with this letter. Another list of claims is, therefore, presented. In the supplemental amendment, the applicant has adhered to the numbering system adopted by the one submitted on August 26, 2005.

Respectfully,

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